

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST  
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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, HU, GW, XH  
SUBJECT: HUNGARIAN FOREIGN MINISTER DISCUSSES BERLIN, FRG-GDR  
RELATIONS WITH FRG OFFICIAL

1. DURING HIS VISIT TO BUDAPEST FOR PURPOSE OF GIVING  
FRG RESPONSE TO HUNGARIAN CSCE PROPOSALS (SEE SEPTEL),  
MINISTERIAL DIRECTOR GUNTHER VAN WELL OF FOREIGN MINISTRY  
HAD ONE AND ONE-HALF HOUR MEETING WITH HUNGARIAN FOREIGN  
MINISTER FRIGYES PUJA.
2. ACCORDING TO GERMAN EMBASSY SOURCE, MUCH OF TIME WAS  
SPENT DISCUSSING BERLIN SITUATION AND DEVELOPMENTS IN GDR-FRG  
RELATIONS. PUJA BROUGHT UP THESE TOPICS BY ASKING VAN WELL  
IF HE THOUGHT PRESENT PERIOD OF TENSION BETWEEN FRG AND GDR  
OVER BERLIN AND RELATED PROBLEMS WAS GOING TO COME TO AN END SOON.

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VAN WELL COUNTERED BY ASKING PUJA'S OPINION OF SOVIET  
INTENTIONS WITH RESPECT TO BERLIN. LATTER REPLIED THAT  
IT WAS DEFINITELY NOT IN SOVIET INTEREST TO MAKE BERLIN  
A SOURCE OF TENSION. RATHER, HE SAID, SOVIETS MAIN  
FOREIGN POLICY INTERESTS ARE DETENTE AND DISARMAMENT.  
HE OPINED, IF THERE WERE REMAINING QUESTIONS NOT COVERED

BY BERLIN AGREEMENT FOUR POWERS SHOULD SIT DOWN AND  
DISCUSS THEM.

3. GERMAN EMBASSY HERE, AS A RESULT OF VAN WELL'S  
DISCUSSIONS WITH PUJA AND OTHER INDICATIONS, IS CONVINCED  
THAT GOH IS WORRIED ABOUT TROUBLED SITUATION IN GDR,  
POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA. WE SHARE THAT VIEW.

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